



Application No.: 09/831,001

Dated: May 12, 2004

In Reply to USPTO Correspondence of November 17, 2003

Attorney Docket No.: 702-010717

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/831,001 Confirmation No.: 8959

Applicants : Cindy T.C. Cuypers et al.

Filed : September 19, 2001

Title : DEVICE FOR TREATING A GAS/LIQUID MIXTURE

Group Art Unit : 1723

Examiner : Menon, Krishnan S.

**THREE-MONTH PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

MAIL STOP RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O.Box 1450  
Alexandria,VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants request a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. The outstanding Action was mailed on November 17, 2003 and the period set for response was three months, bringing the response to be due on February 17, 2004. Therefore, a three-month extension of time will bring the response due on May 17, 2004.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on May 12, 2004.

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A check in the amount of \$1,720.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee and filing fee. A response to the outstanding Action is filed concurrently herewith.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. Please refund any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. The original and two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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